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stated that MALAXA lives or has offices at the Cherry-Apperlands Hotel. MALAXA has not resided at that hotel for a long time.

Confidential Informant T-3 advised that MALAXA is gathering material concerning the ARSINI brothers, and placing it in the hands of a prominent legal firm. The informant could not say why this material was being gathered, but stated that he is under the impression that it is to be used to defend MALAXA from attacks by the ARSINI brothers, and is not to be used to attack them.

MATHEW J. CAZAN, a Rumanian translator employed by the Washington Field Office, advised that he had heard from a Rumanian friend that Mr. NIZTRU MIRCEA GROSU was presently working in Youngstown, Ohio. Mr. CAZAN stated that GROSU came to the United States in 1946 at the insistence of MALAXA, who at that time was interested in the development of airplanes and tractor factories in Rumania. GROSU being an outstanding Rumanian engineer, was sought by MALAXA to obtain the necessary plans whereby MALAXA would be able to carry out his desired plans. Mr. CAZAN indicated that MALAXA carried GROSU on his payroll until a short time ago when he, MALAXA, advised GROSU that he had no further use for him. It is believed that it was after MALAXA discharged GROSU that GROSU went to Youngstown, Ohio and secured employment as a draftsman.

Confidential Informant T-4 advised that he met GROSU at the home of Mr. GRIGORE GABRIELU in New York City about a year ago, and at that time GROSU was working for MALAXA as an engineering consultant for an alleged salary of \$2,000.00 per month. The informant said that he understood that GROSU was brought to the United States from Brazil by MALAXA, and that GROSU had gone to Brazil from Turkey in 1945. GROSU also is believed to have fled from Rumania to Turkey in September, 1944. The informant stated that he has heard that GROSU is about to institute against MALAXA a suit for salary which he alleges MALAXA owes him.

Confidential Informant T-5 advised that he was acquainted with GROSU and that he knew of his background. He said that GROSU had been encouraged to come to the United States by MALAXA, to help MALAXA as an engineering consultant in connection with certain industries which MALAXA anticipated developing in Rumania. Confidential Informant T-5 stated that GROSU's wife came from one of the best families in Rumania.

Confidential Informant T-6 was interviewed on January 5, 1949. He stated that MALAXA and MIRAI MALAXA were great friends and that MALAXA promised to aid MALAXA in getting MALAXA's family out of Rumania. After MALAXA succeeded in getting his family out to Turkey, he and MALAXA no longer